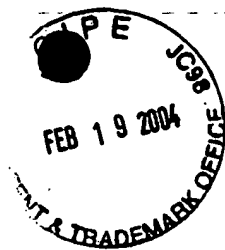


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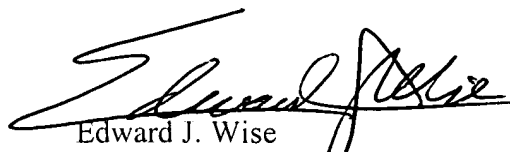
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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated October 20, 2003, now due to expire January 20, 2004, be extended for one month(s) and set to expire on February 20, 2004. Please charge the extension fee of \$110.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

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